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*Art Unit:* 3636

*In re:*

*Applicant:* Jochen BOLLAENDER

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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

January 16, 2004

Hon. Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Actions of July 15, 2003 and  
December 30, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Claims 1-5 cancelled.

6. (Currently amended) A holding device as defined in claim

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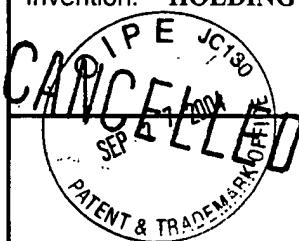
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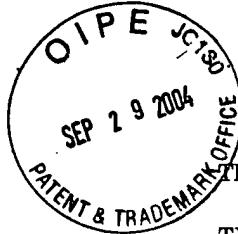


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